

# Spring 1 in Nursery



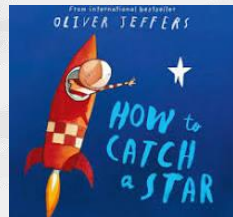
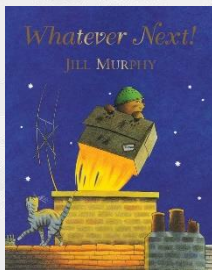
## English

Pupils will continue to develop their understanding of print as well as learning how to recognise their own name.

When reading, pupils will begin to talk about the main events and principle characters in stories, using props and materials for role play.

Some of the main stories that we will be exploring this half term are 'Whatever next' by Jill Murphy and 'How to catch a star' by Oliver Jeffers.

We are reading...



## Maths

### Number and counting

Pupils will explore numbers 1 to 5. They will explore the different ways to make these numbers and be able to understand the value of these numbers. The pupils will be forming these numbers and practising recognising the numerals and the amounts. They will also be exploring 1 more and 1 less.

### SSM

Pupils will continue to practise copying and devising their own patterns. They will be learning about the sequence of events using key vocabulary such as first, then and next. Pupils will also begin to use language such as size, height, length and width.

## Learning Adventure

### Starry Night

This project enables the children to explore the differences in the world at night compared to during the day. It teaches them about the importance of sleep and helps them to discover what is happening in the world while they are sleeping, including finding out about nocturnal animals.

### Winter Wonderland

This project teaches the children about the changes that happen during winter, including the weather during this time. It also enables them to explore places that have snow all year round and the different animals that live there.

## PSED

### Manging self

This project will develop pupils understanding of how to be increasingly independent in meeting their own care needs. This includes dressing themselves' brushing teeth, using the toilet, washing and drying hands and using a knife and fork.

## Physical Development

### Fine motor control

Pupils will learn how to hold a pencil correctly and to begin to use it with control. They will also learn how to use scissors to snip.

### Gross motor

Pupils will learn how to skip, hop, stand on one leg and hold a pose for a game like musical statues.

## Music

### My Stories

This music project will allow children to listen to and play instruments to songs.

We will be learning and singing a variety of nursery rhymes such as "Pat a Cake" and "5 Little Monkeys".